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VIA U.S. MAIL, FAX, AND INTERNET SUBMISSION

Environmental Protection Agency Region 4 Freedom of Information Officer AFC Building, 61 Forsyth St., S.W., 9th Floor Atlanta, GA 30303-8960

Via Internet: FOIAOnline.regulations.gov

Via Fax: (404) 562-8054

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552, et seq., I request access to and a copy of the following agency records:

- Any records relating to contracts, grants, information sharing, reports, or any other agency record pertaining to the West Wilson Utility District, located in Mt. Juliet, Tennessee, from January 2004 to present;
- Any records relating to "Freddie Weston," the general manager of the West Wilson Utility District;
- Any settlement agreement or other records relating to claims for damages by any person, including any governmental entity, implicating the West Wilson Utility District or Mr. Freddie Weston, from January 2000 to present;
- Any agency records relating to any investigation of the West Wilson Utility
 District and/or its agents or employees, including Mr. Freddie Weston, from
 January 2000 to present; and

 Any agency records containing any communication between the West Wilson Utility District, its officers and agents, or Mr. Freddie Weston, from January 2004 to present.

As used in this request, the term "records" includes, but is not limited to, all documents, papers, letters, maps, books, photographs, microfilms, electronic data processing files and output, films, sound recordings, information stored or maintained electronically, or other material, regardless of physical form or characteristics, or any copy thereof. Please note that the term "record" refers to those items in your possession, custody, or control, or those items which were, but are no longer, in your possession, custody, or control.

If you claim that any record or portion thereof is exempt from inspection, as to each document or portion you claim to be exempt, please state the basis for the exemption, and identify the document or portion by date; by sender, recipient, or author; and by a description of the contents sufficiently detailed to enable an independent evaluation of the exemption.

If any record is otherwise withheld for any reason, please <u>indicate the type of record</u> withheld, the title or style of the record, the length or size of the record, the author of the record, a description of the subject matter of the record, the file(s) where the record (or copies thereof) may be located, and the reason(s) the record is being withheld.

Pursuant to federal law, I request a copy of these agency records to be forwarded to the address indicated on this letter—or in electronic format by email to intern@ozmentlaw.com – within **twenty (20) days**. If you anticipate that the completion of this request will take longer to complete, please contact my office and let us know an anticipated time for completion of this request. You may feel free to contact me by phone at (615) 321-8888 or by email at intern@ozmentlaw.com. If possible, I prefer the requested records in electronic format.

The requester, OZMENT LAW, is a private entity seeking information for use in our business, but not for commercial use. Furthermore, this request is made for the purpose of public information on the regulatory environment for a local utility, and the federal government's involvement with the local utility. To that end, I request a waiver of all fees for this request. Disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government and the local utility, and is not primarily in my commercial interest.

With best regards,

Elliott Ozment *Attorney at Law*